


Ravelings

Monmouth

1954



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THE 1954

RAVELINGS



*PRESENTED BY
THE CLASS OF 1955*

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BILL COOK

BUSINESS MANAGER
IRV SELLERS





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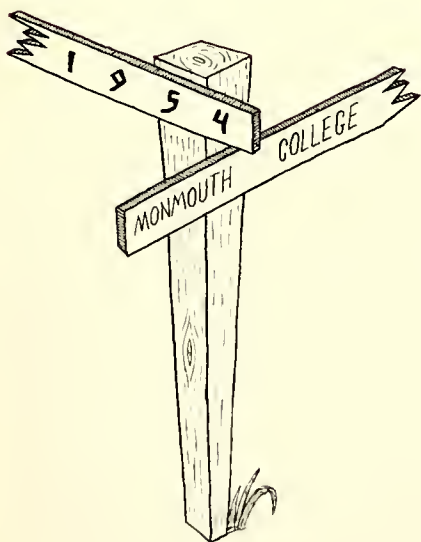




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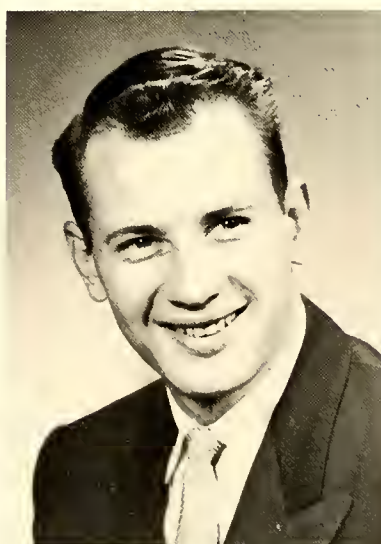
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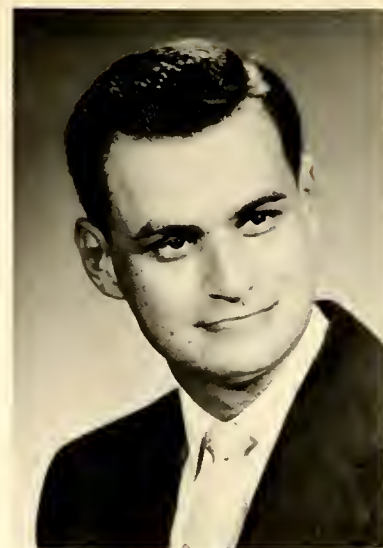
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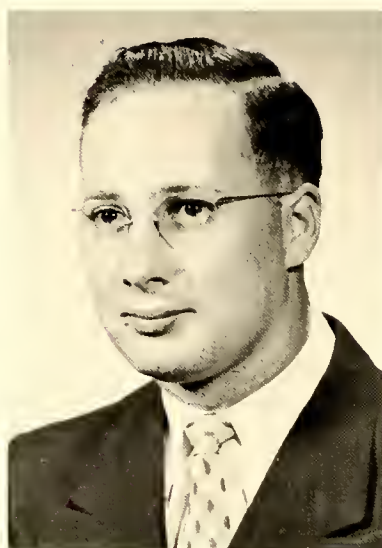
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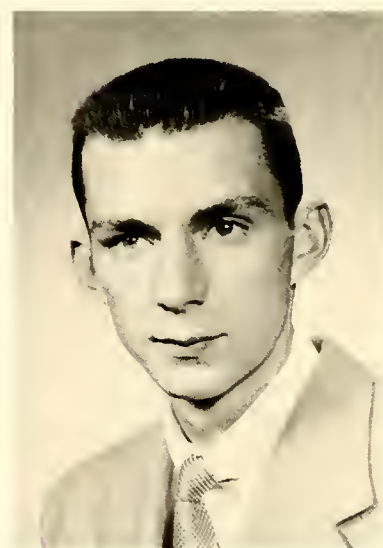
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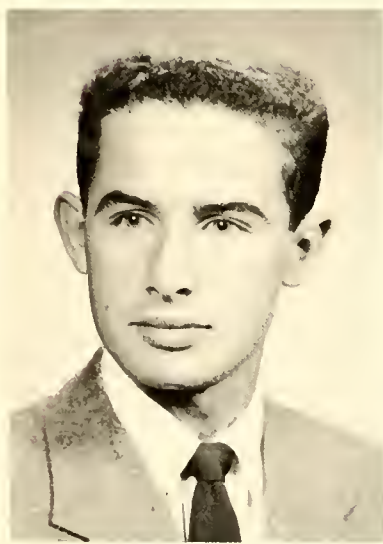
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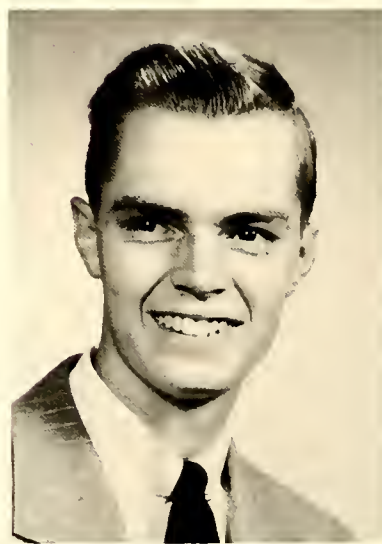
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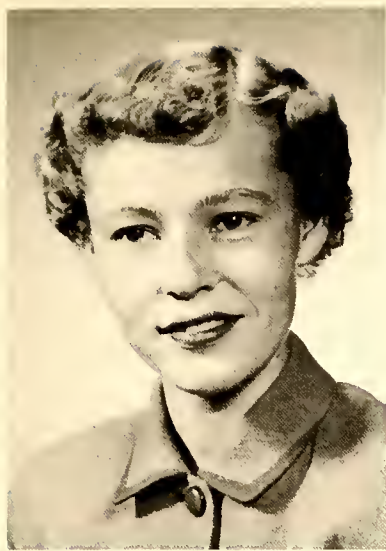
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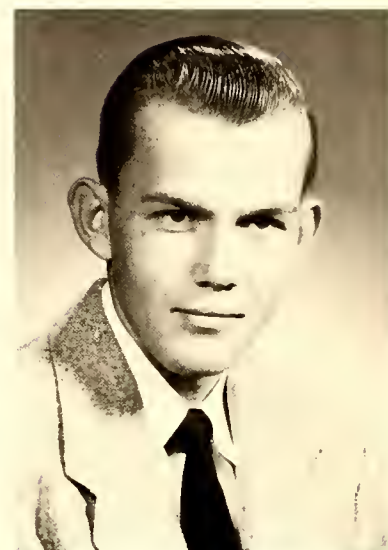
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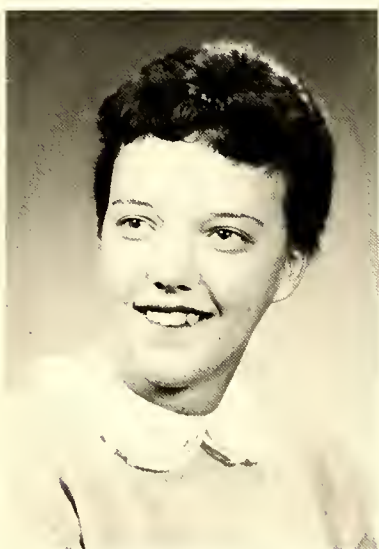
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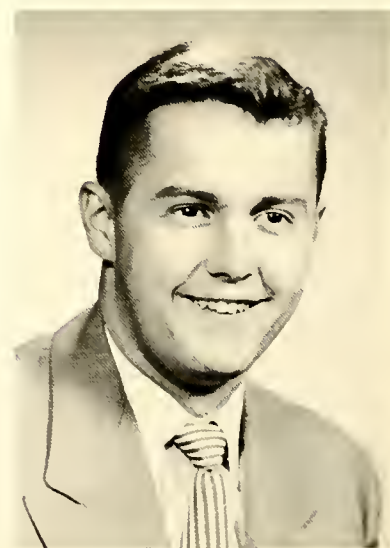
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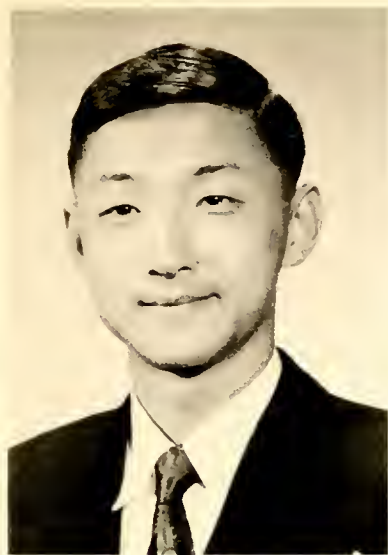
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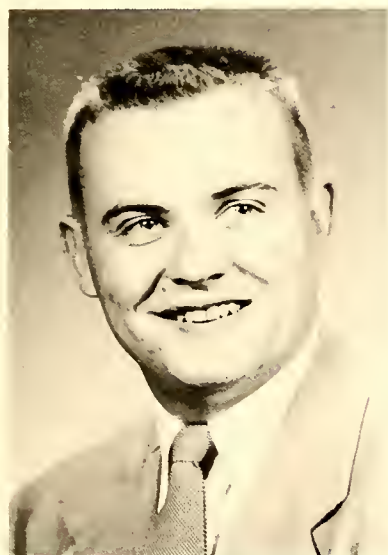
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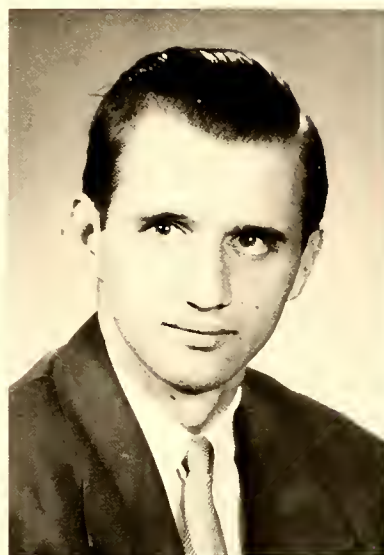
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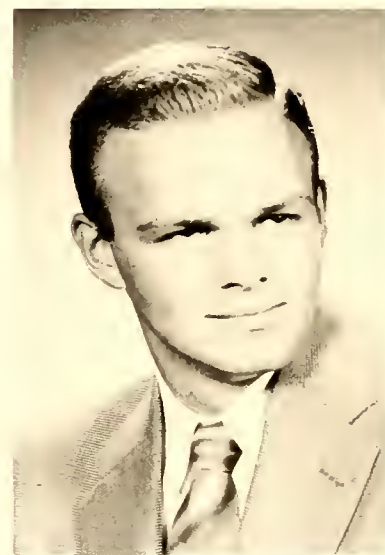
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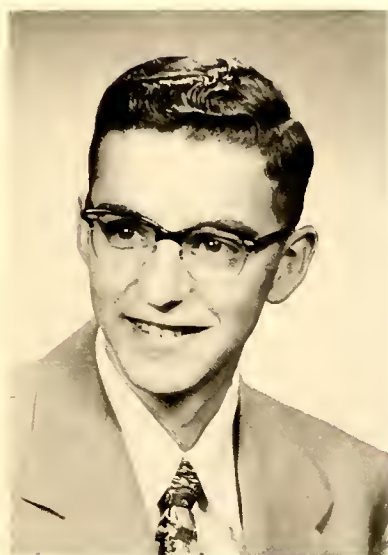
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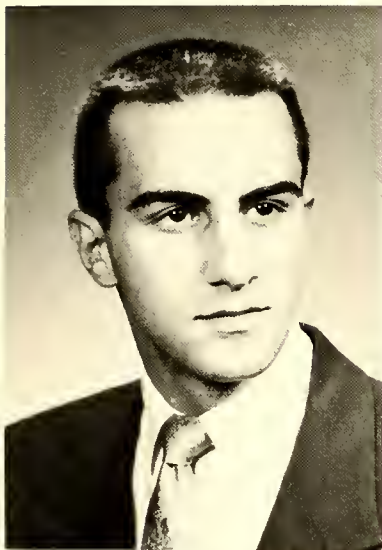
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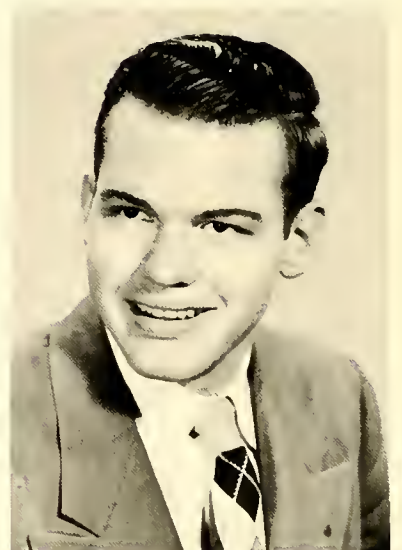
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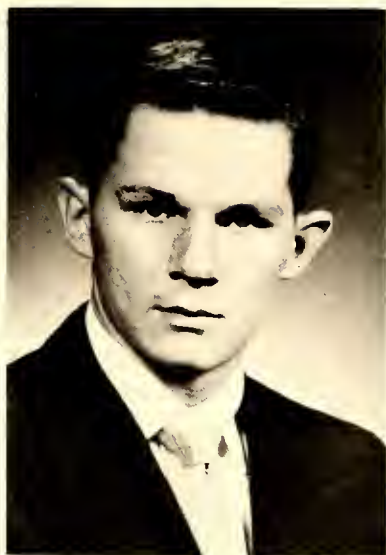
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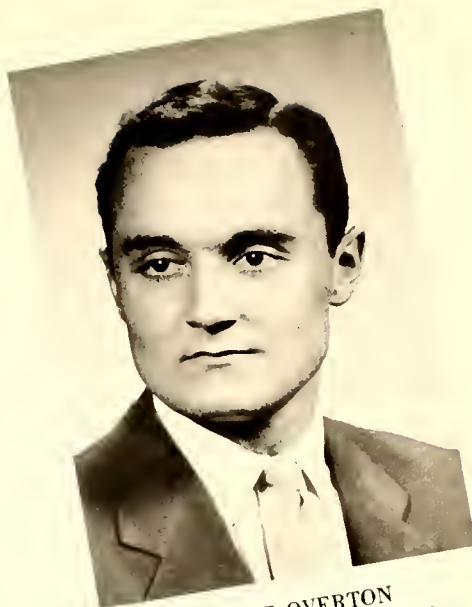
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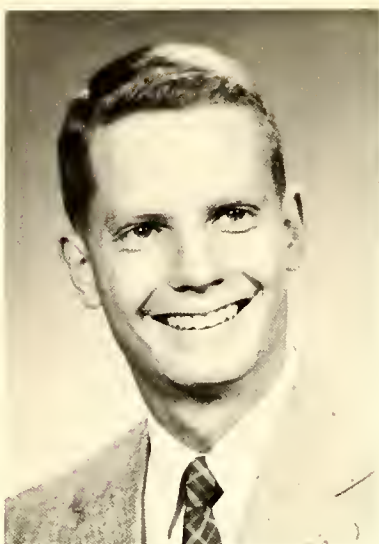
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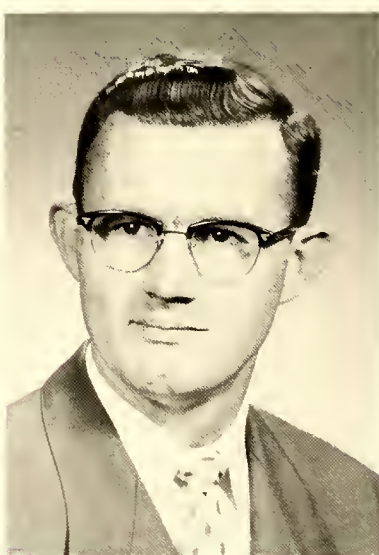
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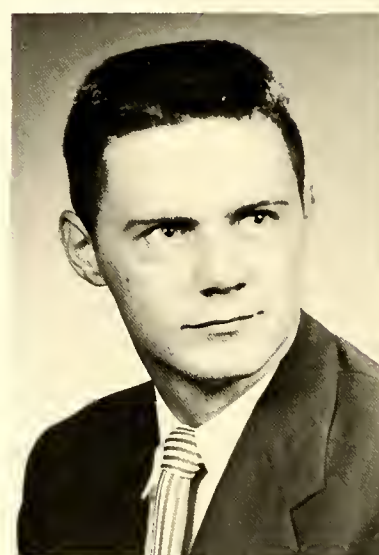
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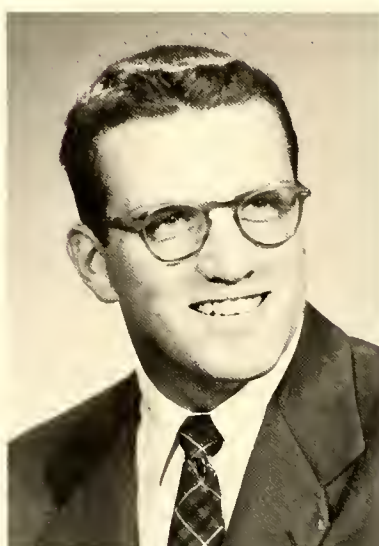
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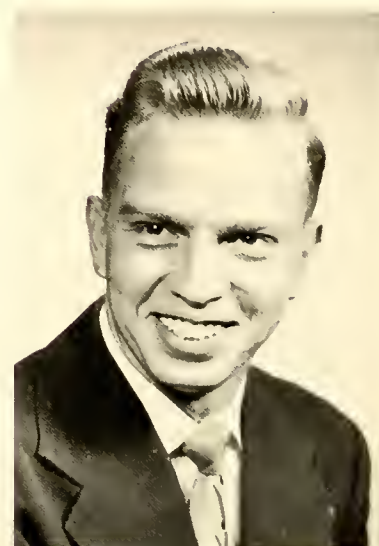
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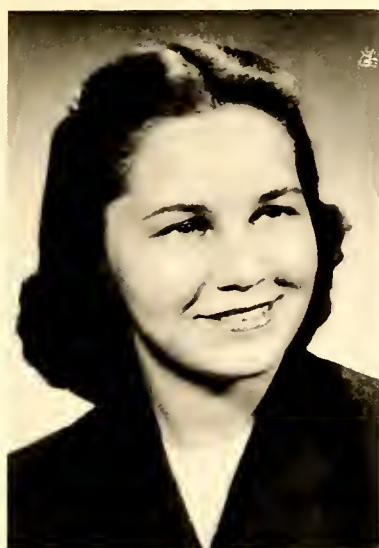
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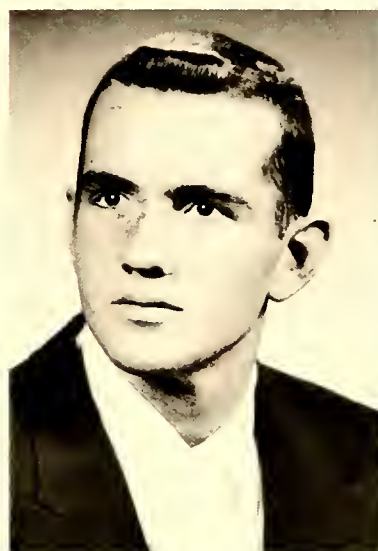
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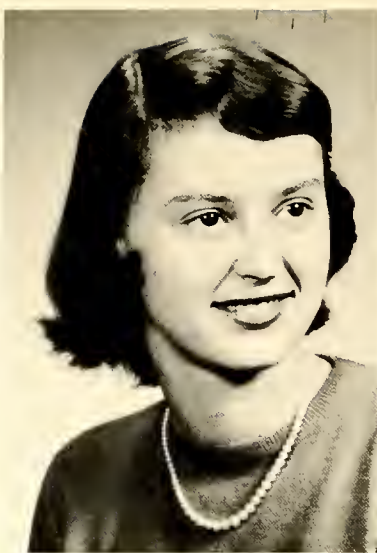
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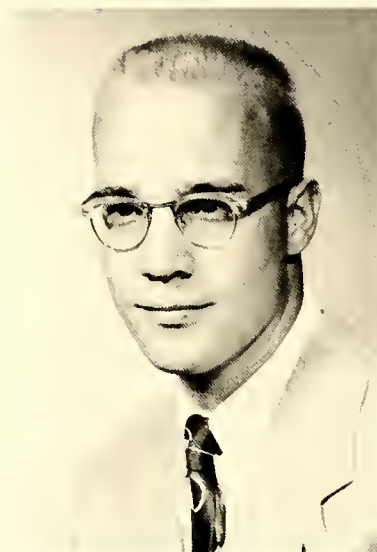
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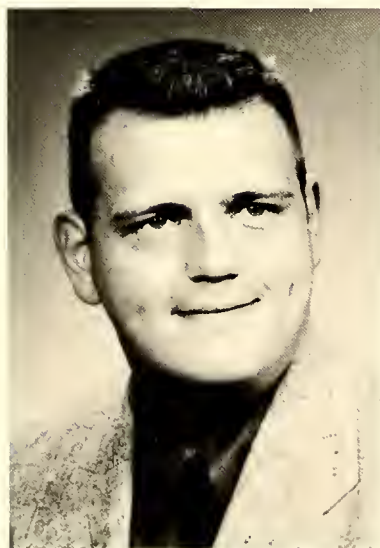
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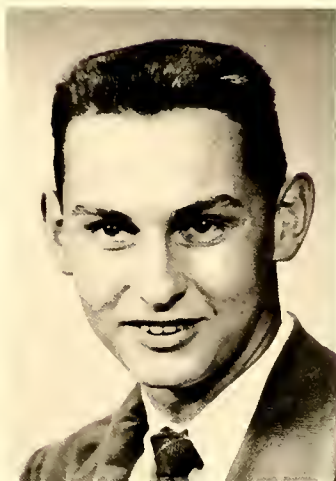
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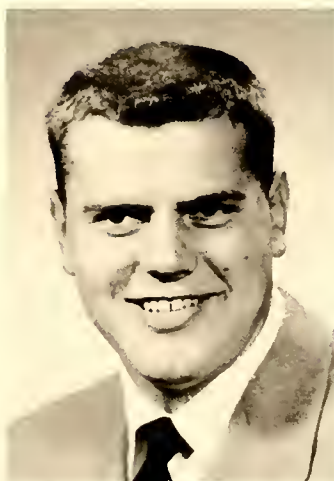
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JUNIORS



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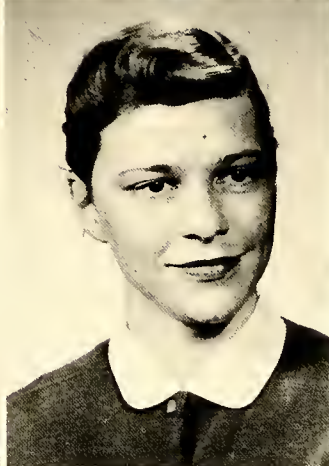
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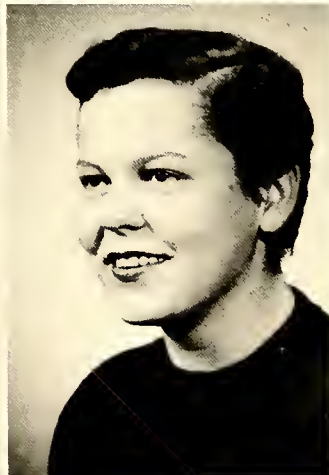
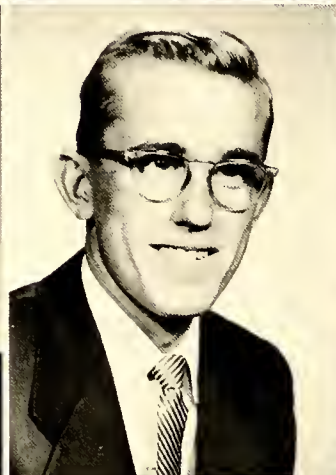
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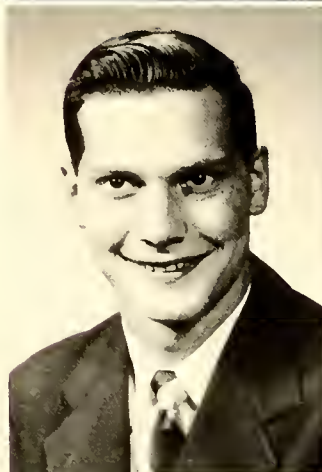
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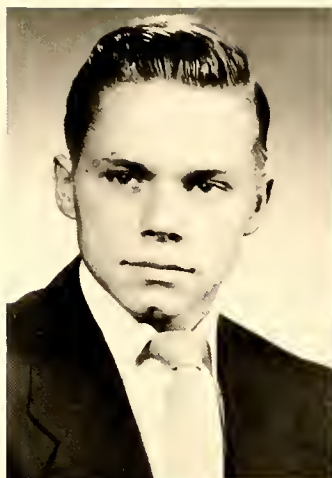


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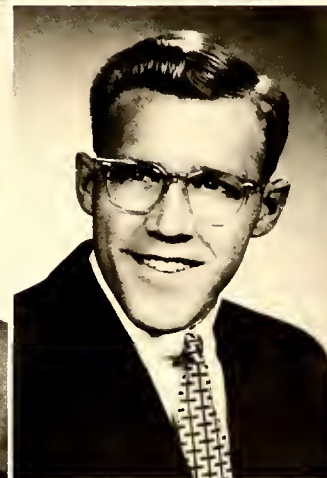
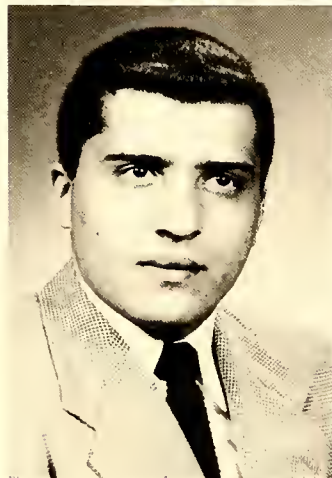
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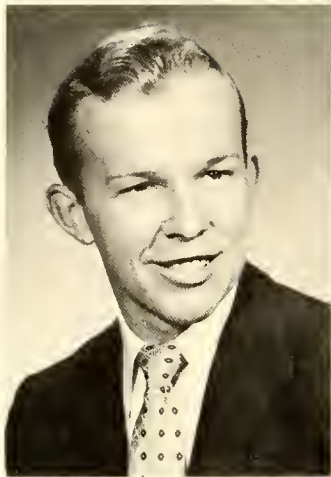


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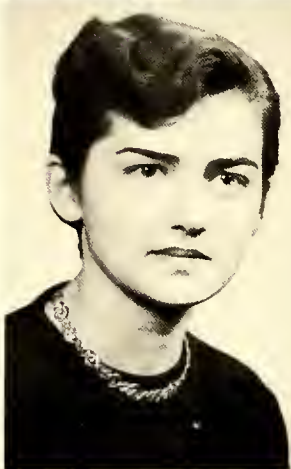


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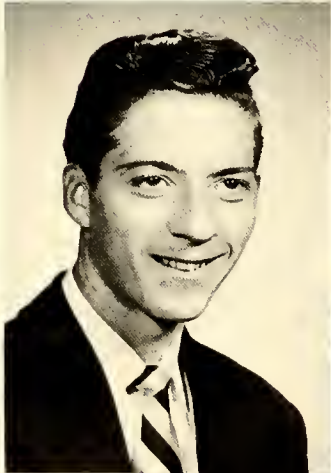




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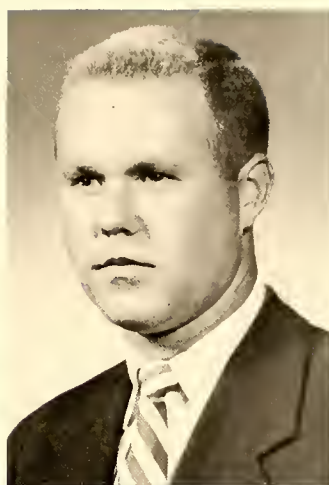


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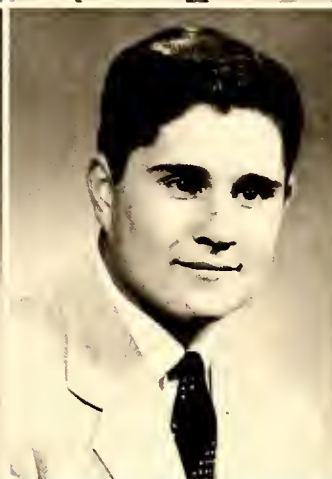
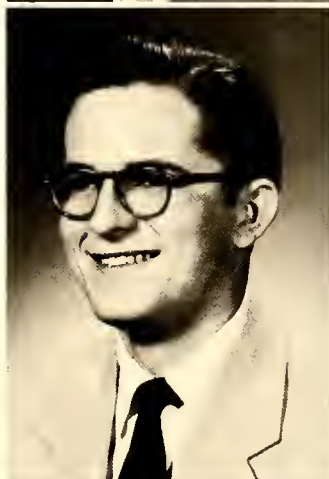
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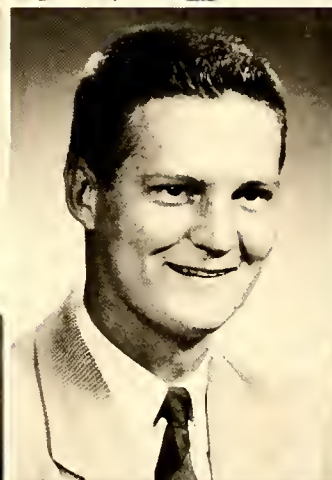
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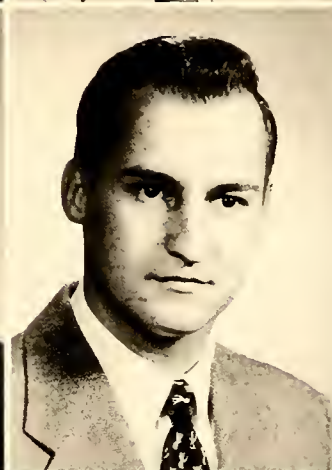
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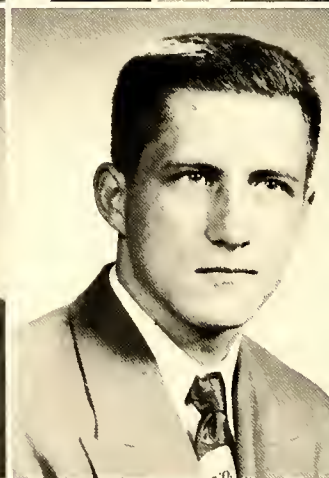
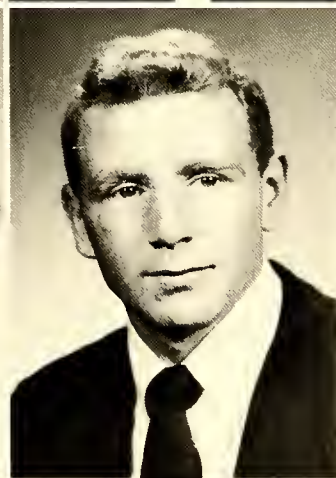
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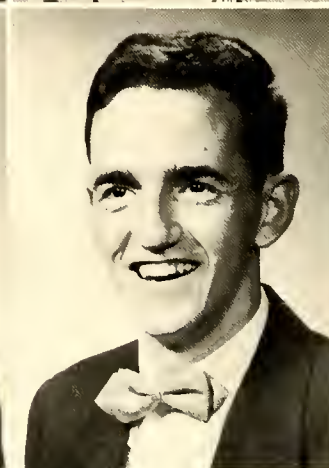
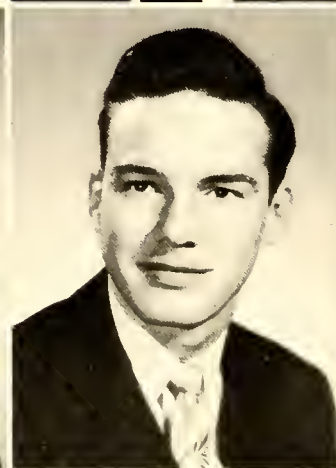
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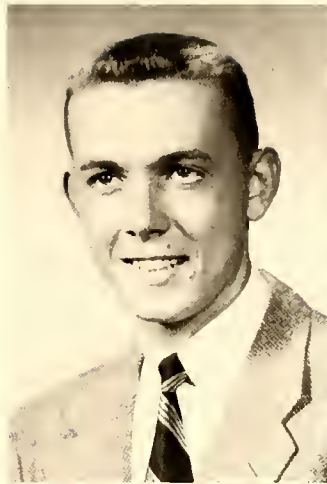
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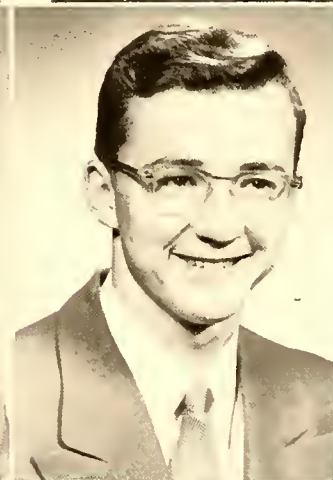
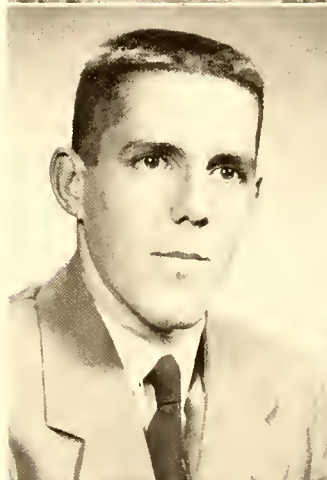
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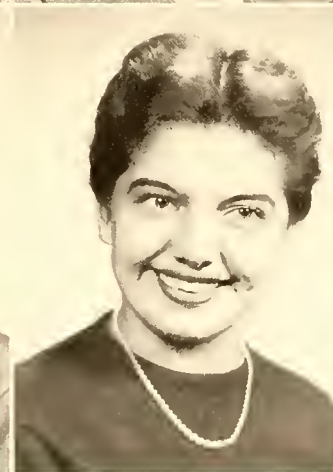
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*Row 1: Van Zelst, Crank, Clements, Hughes.
Row 2: M. Anderson, Behringer, Creaves, Hartrick, Doty.*



*Row 1: Schneck, Roach, Reifinger, K. Smith, S. Smith.
Row 2: Coso, Steiner, Sanford.*

*Row 1: D. Noble, Bollman, Pashke, McKinley, Chestnut.
Row 2: McMullen, Shawler, Bunting, Phillips, Quinby.*



*Row 1: Ijams, Hedenberg, Hammel.
Row 2: Turner, Effland, Lafferty.*





*Row 1: J. Young, Venn, Wraight, Windish.
Row 2: Youngquist, Woodstock.*



Row 1: Gadske, M. Dugan, Gemrich, George, Blanchard, Elmslie, Goss. Row 2: Futterer, Brasmer, Goetz, Uhle, Frederick, M. Irvine, Edwards.

Row 1: Mears, Noton, Ohlinger, Enke, Koepp-Baker. Row 2: Neville, Moore, Kniss, Leatart, Mueller, Muir.



FRESHMAN



OFFICERS

President	Bob Fletcher
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Secretary	Mary Boyd
Treasurer	Kent Walker
Student Council Rep.	Jim Johnson



Row 1: Sawyer, Stadelman, Webeck, O'Neal.
Row 2: Stocks, Willson, Steiner, Kordt.

*Row 1: Ewert, Fraser, Greene, Essner.
Row 2: Fuller, Fletcher, Frueh, Gilles.
Row 3: Glassner, Fulton, Flanders.*



*Row 1: Lawler, Jefferies, King, Kyle.
Row 2: Laidlaw, Kerswill, Kelley, Kukuk.
Row 3: Jones, Lane, Keim, Kimble, Lyon.*





Row 1: Mundt, Matton, Murray, Nichols.
Row 2: Orednick, Mauro, McCurdy, Machorosky, Mitchell.



Sitting: Teuscher, Rapp, Ruppard, Potts. *Standing:* Marr, N. Peters, Schwartz, Reed, Stevens, Rhader.

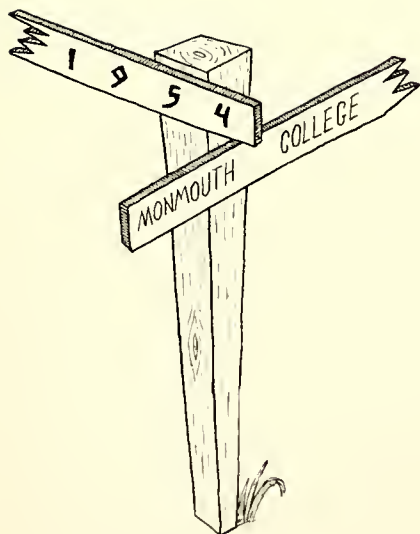


Sitting: J. Whitsitt, Wagner, Walker, Werts. *Standing:* Uhle, A. Thrift, Veit, Smale, Trevor, N. Thrift, Tascher.

Row 1: Dillon, Boston, Duff, Dietrich, Boyd, Cummings, Bondurant, Dean.
Row 2: Bollin, Bruington, Brooks, Barrett, Biekelman, Benda. Row 3: Buland, Ahlgrim, P. Brown, Boehm. Row 4: Courtney, Carlson, Durham, Alden, Beabout.



Row 1: Huff, Hinch, Hill, Howard.
Row 2: Hartmire, Johnson, Hartmann, Hemwall, Hick.



FEATURES



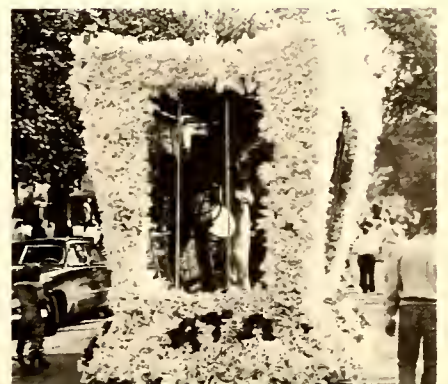
Freshman Week





Homecoming





Homecoming Queens



Queen
MISS BARBARA COOK



Senior Attendant
MISS LIBBY DUGAN



Junior Attendant
MISS JOAN BAYLISS



Sophomore Attendant
MISS PEGGY SCHNECK

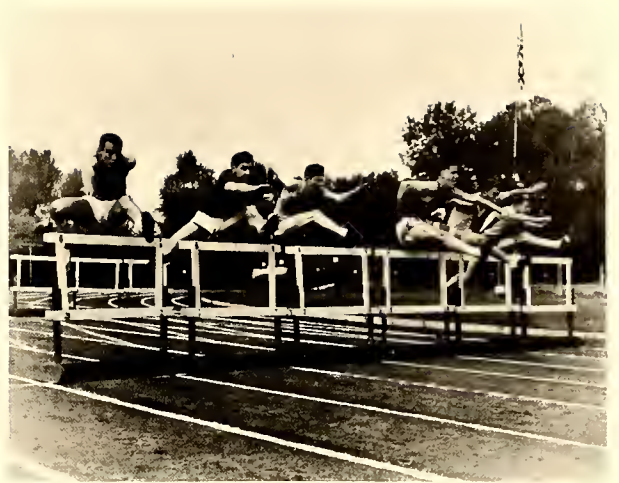


Freshman Attendant
MISS RUSTY NICHOLS

Registration



Conference Track Meet

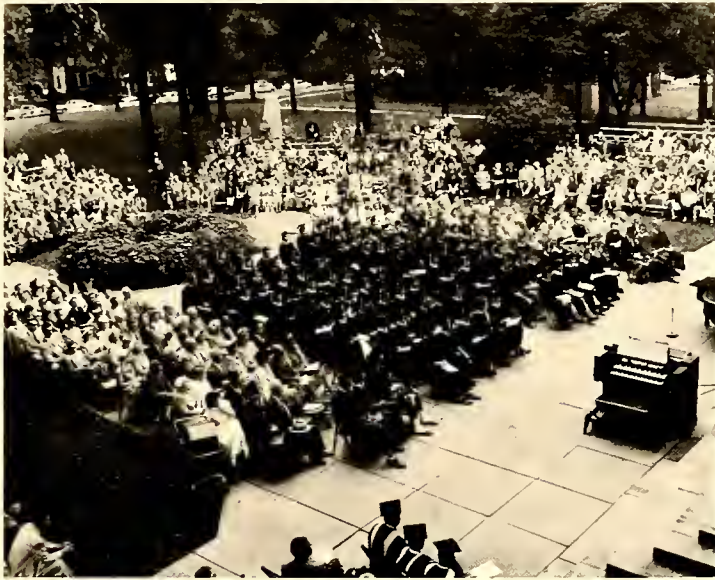


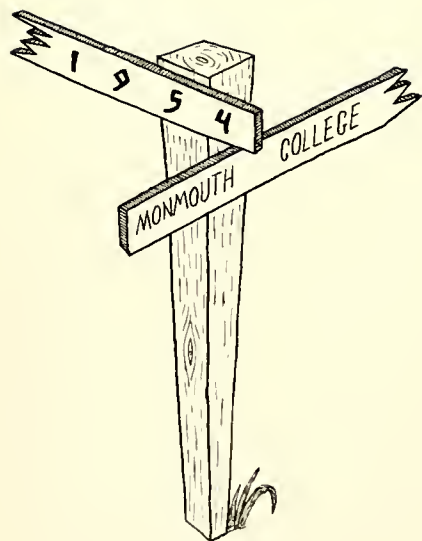
Messiah



This year the Messiah was presented in the College Auditorium with the choir under the direction of Mr. Archer Hayes and the orchestra under Mr. Heimo Loya. The combined group did a beautiful job of singing and playing the music that has become a part of the Christmas season. In addition to the many students included in the group many towns people took part. The program was beautifully done and everyone concerned is to be complimented.

Graduation





ACTIVITIES





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President.....Don Pearson
 Vice-President.....Vic Atchison
 Secretary.....Elinor Heron
 Treasurer.....Chuck Denniston

Student Council



Standing: Pearson. Row 1: Heron, Denniston. Row 2: Jones, Beabont, Wachsmann, Fleming. Row 3: Bondurant, Holbrook, Whitsitt, Fletcher, Willson, Brunner. Row 4: Glenn, Clements, Crank, Allin, Manlove, Delzell.

Left to right: Zalokar, Nichol, Atchison, Brown, Landers.



Sitting: Barnett, Heron, Wachsmann, Bondurant, Beabout. Standing: Pearson, Denniston, Holbrook, Prof. Frazier, Atchison.

Student-Faculty Committee

The purpose of this committee is to promote better relationships between the faculty and the students of the college. The group freely voices their opinions on many topics of mutual concern. The committee is made up of seven members from the faculty and one representative from each fraternity, sorority and independent organization on campus.

Student Court

This year the Student Court is composed of five senior men, who were selected by the faculty on the basis of leadership, dependability, and school service. This group rules with justice and has jurisdiction over all campus regulations.



Sitting: Forsyth, Beabout, Heron, Wachsmann.
Standing: Cook, Jones, Brunner, Phelps.



Sally Smith — Freshman Tau Pi

Tau Pi

Tau Pi is an honorary fraternity for women corresponding to the national honorary society, Mortar Board. The old members pick the most outstanding junior girls each spring to be the coming year's members of Tau Pi. Qualifications considered in selecting these girls are scholarship, personality, and activities. Also each spring Tau Pi awards a cup to the most outstanding girl in the freshman class, and sponsors a scholarship for an outstanding senior girl.

Sigma Omicron Mu

Sigma Omicron Mu is an honorary scholastic fraternity for juniors and seniors who have made a grade average of at least 3.5 for four semesters, two of which must have been consecutive. This organization, which was founded on Monmouth Campus in 1926, is equivalent to the national Phi Beta Kappa. The fraternity sponsors Scholarship Day each semester, at which time new members are tapped.



Sitting: Fleming, Wachsmann, Wood, Peterson, Bowker, Cook, *Row 2:* Bond, Forsyth, Brooke, Rintoul, Ralston, Henry, Romine. *Row 3:* Bostwick, Nichol, Marxman. *Missing:* T. Hodge, Landers.

Phi Eta Mu is the freshman men's honorary scholastic fraternity here at Monmouth. Dr. Hugh Beveridge is the founder of the group and also acts as faculty sponsor. In order to become a member in the organization a freshman must maintain an average of 3.5 in his first semester or in his first two semesters combined.

Sitting: Nichol, Marxman, Sellers, Bond, Denniston, Bostwick, Chong Ng. *Standing:* Rohlfs.



Phi Eta Mu

Pi Gamma Pi



Freshman girls attaining a 3.5 for the first semester, or a 3.5 average for the year are eligible for membership in Pi Gamma Pi. Membership in this fraternity lasts as long as the girls are enrolled at Monmouth.

Row 1: Ralston, Henry, Camenisch, Minot, Noton. *Row 2:* Trembly, Wood, Romine, Cook. *Row 3:* Rontoul, Bowker, Wachsmann, Harmon.

Who's Who

Each year, a campus nominating committee considers students for national recognition in "Who's Who." This plan originated fourteen years ago with the idea of creating a national recognition of students, devoid of politics, initiation fees, and dues. Students considered must be high in activities, scholarship, effort and service to the school. This year, eight outstanding seniors will appear in "Who's Who."



Left to right: Atchison, Nichol, Landers, Brown.

Women's Government



Sitting: Bondurant, Phelps, Brunner, Fasick, Harmon, Hofstetter.
Standing: Jones, Wachsmann, Forsyth.

The Women's Governing Board is composed of 10 senior women, two from each social organization. Five are chosen by the preceding year's board and five are elected by the women students. The purpose of the group is to enforce the dormitory regulations and to represent the desires of the women students to the administration.

Y. M. C. A.



*Sitting: Dr. Gamer, Allin, Prof. Finley.
Standing: McKellar, Rohlf, Keller.*

There is no doubt that the YM is a very important and helpful group here on the Monmouth campus. Besides working close beside the YW on many projects the group heads such activities as the Christian Service programs, the Thanksgiving and Easter Services, YM movies, and the YM book exchange. Most of the men on the campus are a part of the YMCA, which is headed by Jerry Allin.

Y. W. C. A.

The YWCA is made up of an association of all the women students on the Monmouth College campus. This group plays a very important part in the campus scene, as is shown by the important social functions it heads. Among these are Freshman Week, the Sadie Hawkins Day Dance, and the Red Book. In addition to these important activities the YW is active in the promotion of Christian life on the campus. The group does a large part during Religious Emphasis Week and during chapel services.



*Sitting: LaBrush, Dixon, Dolbow, Jones, Schindewolf, Edwards.
Standing: Gadske, Romine, Pringle, Earp, Thurner, E. Smith, Two, Davidson.*

Gospel Teams



Row 1: Lindahl, Haney, Landers, Dr. Ralston, Steiner, Ludwigsen, Baumann, Brawdy. Row 2: Speer, Glenn, Stager, Barnett, LaBrush, Riley, Morrissey, Allin. Row 3: Two, Webeck, Logan, McMackin, Irvine, Hughes, Clements, Hoogheim. Row 4: Galitz, Brooke, J. Mechem, Nicoll, Courtney.

The Gospel Teams are Christian service groups which travel to different churches in the Monmouth area to conduct Sunday morning services and young people's meetings. They supply the entire

service including devotions, messages, scripture readings, and special music. These teams gain much experience through their activities and are greatly appreciated by the churches.

Supper Club Council



The Supper Club Council is composed of ten members which are appointed by their respective social organizations. The Supper Club has taken the place of CCA and the Sunday evening programs at the churches. They meet every Sunday evening from 5:30 to 6:30 in the union. The program consists of a supper, group singing, scripture readings, and prominent speakers and movies.

Sitting: Utter, Thoms, Hughes. Standing: Geogre, Nichol, Webeck. Missing: Riedel, Harvey, Schwiebert, Dickelman.

Icthus Club

Icthus, the Greek word for fish, is the symbol of this club as it was for the early Christians. This organization, which meets monthly, hears lectures on religious topics and discusses problems of Christian living. Its active members are those who plan to go into full time Christian service and the fellowship members are those interested actively in Christian work other than professionally.

Row 1: Reifinger, Jacobs, Bollin, Krug, Embree, McMackin, LaBrush. Row 2: Mauro, Craig, Koppert, Lindahl, Ralston, Hughes, Clements, Noton. Row 3: Steiner, Hoogheem, Dr. Ralston, Chatfield, Glenn, Landers. Row 4: Ludwigsen, Morrissey, Phelps, Brawdy, Haney. Row 5: Walton, Speer, Allin, Reed, Lantz, Logan. Missing: Barnett, Brooke, Harvey, Keller, Nichol, Stager, Chestnut, Fifield, Graham, Hamilton, Two.

Newman Club

The Newman Club, the organization for all Catholic students, holds its monthly meetings during Vesper services. At this time, discussions led by priests from the surrounding area are held.

Sitting: Joan McLaughlin, Van Zeltz, Hammel, Gottler, Tomazic. Standing: John McLaughlin, Dimmit, Thomas, Murphy, Maurice.





Row 1: Jefferies, Goss, Trembly, Young, Buss, Kyle. Row 2: Edmunds, Metzger, Bowker, Wood, DuBois, Pringle, Holbrook, Tascher. Row 3: R. Vigal, Thompson, Fuller, Dr. Gamer, Nash, Lawler, Wachsmann, Bondurant, Hsu, Greene, Boehm, Wagner, Schwibert, George.

Row 1: Poirot, Wright, Wood. Row 2: Roach, Logan, Hofbauer. Row 3: M. Smith, Pringle, Harmon, Pierson, Hedenberg.



International Relations Club

The IRC Club is affiliated with similar clubs all over the United States which were established and are aided by the Carnegie Endowment. The Meetings are devoted to talks and discussions on current international problems. Last year the IRC helped send four delegates to the United Nations to watch it in action and to learn foreign diplomats' ideas for the solution of world problems.

Sociology Club

The primary aim of the Sociology Club is a better understanding of our complex society and the many problems which confront it. At their monthly meetings, members discuss sociological problems and also give special reports. Members include both sociology majors and those who, although not majoring in this field, have an interest in its various phases.

Row 1: Pashke, Embree, Crank, McMackin, Edmunds, Janas, Boston, Stokes, Kelly. Row 2: Haick, Utter, Reeves, Ewert, Rahn, Steiner, Willson, Howard, Yearous. Row 3: M. Irvine, Balch, Basinger, Sawall, Tomazic, Compton, Smetana, Torley, Keim, Reed. Row 4: Hedenberg, Moore, Wagner, Chatfield, Stockdell, A. Noton. Row 5: B. Hawley, J. Webb, Henrikson, R. Smith, S. Hawley.



Left to right: Mrs. Crow, Fleming, Earp, Peterson, Compton. Missing: Verigan.

Phi Alpha Theta

Phi Alpha Theta, an honorary history fraternity, is comprised of history majors or minors attaining a 3.0 average or above. A convention of surrounding chapters was held here on campus this fall. Matters concerning the fraternity at large were discussed.

Cleo

Cleo, the history club here at Monmouth, is now in its third year. Membership requires only an interest in history. Movies, lectures, and discussions comprise its monthly meetings.



Left to right: S. Smith, Friese, Beabout, Brooke, Chatfield, Reifinger.



Row 1: Bollin, Chatfield. Row 2: Brooke, Beabout, Friese. Row 3: Reifinger, Singleman, Two, S. Smith, Enke.

Pi Kappa Delta

Pi Kappa Delta is our honorary speech fraternity. The purpose of this fraternity is to encourage forensic activity on campus. A student must participate in intercollegiate forensics and have had two years of speech work in order to become a member of this fraternity.

Forensic League

Forensic League is an organization open to students interested in developing their speaking ability. The Forensic League acts as official representative of the college in all inter-collegiate off-campus speech events. The aims of the club are to improve speaking ability, and to promote student debate discussion, and public speaking on campus and in public affairs.

Sigma Tau Delta

The Rho Alpha chapter of Sigma Tau Delta, national honorary English fraternity, is located here at Monmouth. Invitations to membership are given to those who are majoring in English, or who show outstanding writing ability. At each meeting, original papers are read and criticized. Each spring the organization sponsors a writing contest for freshmen.

Seated: Trembly, Jephson, Pearson, Fleming, Masterson, Bayliss. *Standing:* Chong Ng, T. Hodge, Clements, McMullen, Hammel. *Missing:* E. Hodge, Whiteman, P. Brown, Camenisch, S. Smith, Hill, Hinds, Sanford, Steinacher.



Publications Board

The Publications Board is made up of the heads of all of the student publications and all the interested faculty members. The purpose of the board is to try to offer helpful suggestions on how to improve our newspaper and yearbook. It is also the job of the board to fill any vacancies on the staffs of either of the publications.

Left to right: Conk, Beabout, Fleming, Sellers.



Oracle Staff



Row 1: Reed, Stevens, Lawler, M. Dugan, Kyle, Steiner. Row 2: Twn, Jefferies, Bayliss, Hofbaur, Balch, Utter. Row 3: Wright, Tascher, Woodstock, Hedenberg, Hemwall, Ahlgrim, Jephson, Wraight, Essner, Rupard.



The Oracle, Monmouth College newspaper, has continued this year to bring campus and town happenings to the attention of the students. This year, an attempt to publish the paper on a weekly basis has proved successful, with Saturday being "Oracle day". During the first semester, Joan Fleming headed the staff. Second semester, Barb Hillman and Pat Hammel took over as co-editors.



Barb Hillman and Pat Hammel, co-editors: Charles Courtney, business manager.

EDITORIAL STAFF

Co-Editors.....	Barb Hillman and Pat Hammel
Business Manager.....	Charles Courtney
Circulation Manager.....	Jean Balch
Co-Sports Editors.....	Jack Thurber and Don Gillis
Girl's Sports.....	Jean Two
Make-Up.....	Carol Hedenberg
Society.....	Joan Bayliss
Humor.....	Sarah Wraight and Sally Woodstock
Art.....	Anne Quinby

Ravelings Staff



Left to right: George, Bayliss, Crank, Quinby, Sellers, Walker.



Bill Cook, Editor-in-Chief

The Ravelings staff begins work almost as soon as school begins. Activities from the first through the last of the year must be photographed and written up in time to meet dead-lines. It's a big job, but we hope it has met with your approval.



Crimson Masque



Row 1: Brunner, Beabout, Reifinger, Riley, S. Smith, Nevin, Embree, Clements, Moore. Row 2: Steiner, E. Smith, Crank, Utter, Highers, Bunting, Camenisch, Cook. Row 3: Perrin, Venn, Mr. Gongwer, A. Doty, M. Smith, Ijams, Quinby, Hedenberg, Kniss, Masterson, K. Smith, Schmidt, Young, Behringer, Windish, M. Anderson, Enke, M. Irvine. Missing: Campbell, Sawall, Atchison, McCullough, Guthrie, Walton, Felger.



NATIONAL COLLEGIATE PLAYERS
Beabout, Jones, Mr. Gongwer, Brunner, Cook.

The productions staged in the Little Theater every year are presented with the care and hard work of the members of Crimson Masque. This year along with the acting and stagework, the members published a newspaper to be sent to all Masque alumni. The plays given this year were "January Thaw," and "Land of the Dragon."



Pi Alpha Nu



Sitting: E. Smith, Glenn, Bayliss. *Standing:* Mr. Loya, Ralston, Mr. Hamilton, Whiteman, Lambers, Hansen, Thurner, Phelps, J. Manlove, Speer, Denniston, DuBois, Allin, D. Manlove, Steiner, J. Mechem. *Missing:* Haney, C. Mechem.



Pi Alpha Nu is the honorary music fraternity on the Monmouth campus. Each year, several musical productions are presented by the group. In the fall, Pi Alpha Nu presented "Sequence in Sound," and during the second semester, the efforts of the group were concentrated on their production of "Smoky Mountain." The Pi Alpha Nu Chorus also presents a program at graduation time. Each year, Pi Alpha Nu sponsors a scholarship for a sophomore who has shown promising musical ability during the first year.



Library Staff



Sitting: Jeri Basinger. *Standing:* Koontz, Whitsitt, Mears, Edwards, Jephson, Morrow, Mundt, Wraight, Janas, Lafferty, Bayliss, Vanderwort.



The group of students pictured above renders efficient, courteous service to students, faculty and townspeople, who daily make use of our excellent library facilities. The student staff is under the supervision of Miss Mary McCoy, head librarian, and Mrs. John Bradford. Each student works an average of ten hours at the desk, in the office or in the cataloging room. While helping others to locate material, staff members soon learn much about libraries, and some have taken further training to become full-time librarians.

American Chemical Society

The American Chemical Society is composed of most of the chemistry majors on the campus. The group is affiliated with the national group of the same name. The meetings are held once each month at which time outside speakers discuss the many different fields open to chemistry majors. In addition, the members plan a tour each year of some of the outstanding research and chemical laboratories in the area in order to get some first-hand knowledge of the vast field of chemistry.



Row 1: Best, Bond, Burke. Row 2: Harmon, E. Larson, Jewell, Dolbow. Row 3: Chong Ng, Quanstrom, Peterson, T. Hodge. Row 4: Thurman, A. Doty, A. Larson, Dr. Vellenga, Dr. Halde- man. Row 5: Terford, Bailey, Sellers, Dr. Thiessen, Dr. Shawver.

Beta Beta Beta

Our national biology fraternity, Beta Beta Beta, is one branch of an organization established on many campuses throughout the country. In its monthly meetings, interesting topics pertaining to the natural sciences are presented to the members. A chance for the provisional members to present their projects or research papers is also given at this time. Tri Beta aspires to good scholarship and better interests in the field of biology.



Row 1: Willson, Nichol, Joseph- son, Phifer, Mr. Buchholz, Row 2: Heron, Quinby, Schneck, Thon, Mr. Frazier. Row 3: Dixson, Trembly, Hedenberg, Camenisch, Brook. Row 4: Minot, Harmon, Forsythe, Dr. Ketterer. Row 5: Wood, Bowker. Missing: Sanderson.

College Band







Row 1: E. Smith, Glenn, Killey, Sawyer, G. Doty, J. Manlove, Ponder, Thompson, Vandervort, Mundt, Rahn, Lambers. *Row 2:* Poirot, Nicoll, Machorosky, Reeves, DuBois, Campbell, Stokes, Russell, Strong, Phifer, Riley, Keim, Morrissey. *Row 3:* Carlson, E. Best, Quantstrom, Flanders, D. Manlove, Kettering, Hoogheem, Courtney, Bischoff. *Row 4:* Reed, Speer, B. Doty, Jones, Liu, Brawdy, Durham, Ludwigsen, Henry, Bowman.

Choir

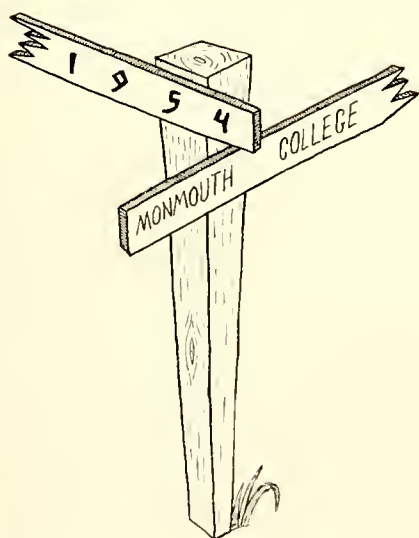
The Vesper Choir, under the direction of Archer Hayes, is regular part of the monthly vesper services. This year, members of the chorale make up part of the choir, which consists of forty-eight members in all. A tour this spring took them to the East. Combined with members of the community, a concert was presented also.



Row 1: Flanders, E. Smith, Ponder, Riedel. Row 2: Courtney, Riley, Sawyer, Hoogheem. Row 3: D. Jones, Poirot, Machorosky, Ludwigsen. Row 4: E. Best, Nicoll, Lambers, B. Doty.

Chorale

The chorale this year is under the direction of Archer Hayes. During the year, they participated in a Christmas program, plus their usual chapel presentations. Various weekend trips constituted this year's out-of-town engagements.



SOCIAL



Alpha Xi Delta

Beta Epsilon Chapter founded in 1932



OFFICERS

President.....Delores Wachsmann

Vice President.....Joan Bayliss

Secretary.....Janie Manlove

Treasurer.....Joan Fleming



ACTIVES

Row 1: Fleming, Wachsmann, Bayliss, Hodges, Row 2: Manlove, Hofbauer, Johnson, Jones, Hass, Thurner, Thoms, Lake, Koepp-Baker.



PLEDGES

Row 1: Boston, Stocks, Morrill. *Row 2:* Woodstock, Kukuk, Ahlgrim, Peters. *Row 3:* Jefferies, Compondu, Tascher, Reginnitter, Jewell, Yearous, King, Essner, Ponder.



Kappa Delta

Beta Gamma Chapter founded in 1936



ACTIVES

Row 1: Wright, Ohlinger, Lashley, Hoffstetter, Griffith, Fasick, Buhler, Dietrich, Enke. Row 2: Ijams, Utter, M. Ward, Edwards, Brooke, Beabout, Cook, Schindewolf, Roach. Row 3: P. Brown, Buss Shneck, Supe, Ralston, Thon, Nichol, Muller, M. Smith, Hedenberg, Matthews, Behringer, P. Whitsitt, Jephson, Anderson, Hunsicker, Zabrosky, Russell, Crank.



OFFICERS

President.....Betty Beabout
Vice President.....Barbara Cook
Secretary.....Esther Hofstetter
Treasurer.....Patricia Brooke



Winter Formal



Whistle Stop



PLEDGES

Sitting: Stokes, Schwartz, Keim, Willson, Huff, Roy. *Standing:* Vandervort, O'Neal, Kelley, Leatart, J. Whitsitt, Ewert, Rohn, Reeves, Stevens, Lawler, Dillon. *Missing:* Bagge, Uhle.

Kappa Kappa Gamma

Alpha Chapter founded in 1870

OFFICERS

President.....Bonnie Bondurant
 Vice President.....Elizabeth Dugan
 Secretary.....Margaret Hendren
 Treasurer.....Nancy Forsyth



ACTIVES

Row 1: Bunting, A. Romine, Tomasic, Peterson, Pringle, Dolbow, Dixon, Woods, Row 2: D. Wilcox, Venn, Hansen, Hendren, Forsyth, B. Bondurant, E. Dugan, DuBois, Gadske, Camenisch. Standing: Minot, Campbell, Clements, Fifield, Windish, M. Irvine, Quinby, Moore, Frederick, Larsen, Sawall, Hughes, Kniss, Castle, Hill, Steiner, E. Smith, Balch, S. Smith, P. Henry.



PLEDGES

Row 1: Hinch, N. Thrift, Strong, A. Thrift. Row 2: C. Wilcox, Sawyer, Machoroski, Kerswill. Row 3: F. Nichols, Duff. Row 4: Kordt, Rapp, Hemwall, Trevor, Smail, S. Irvine.



Pi Beta Phi

Alpha Chapter founded in 1867



ACTIVES

Row 1: S. Johnson, P. Campbell, S. Stevenson, Mears, Hartrick, George. Row 2: Verploeg, Heron, Bowker, Brunner, Basinger, McVey, Ramsdale, Davidson. Row 3: Linquist, Meyers, Glass, Irely, Phifer, Morrow, Lambers, Earp, Van Zelst, Elmslie, S. Ward, Eckley, Thompson.



OFFICERS

President. Jan Brunner
 Vice President. Geraldine Basinger
 Recording Secretary. Eleanor McVey
 Treasurer. Margaret Bowker
 Corresponding Sec. Margaret Ramsdale



PLEDGES

Row 1: Fraser, Boyd, Rowland, R. Dietrich. Row 2: Virco, V. Steiner, Blanchard, Nolin, Wertz, Mauro, Teuscher, Mundt, Olson.

Independent Women's Club



Row 1: Singleman, Two, McMackin, Kyle, Trembly. Row 2: Rupard, Morrissey, LaBrush, Phelps, Glenn Pierson, Barnett, Webeck. Row 3: Hillman, Cummings, Noton, Jacobs, Bollin, Barrett, Buland, Kimble, Wood, Comba, Mattoon, Krug, Hammel, Young, Russell.



OFFICERS

President.....Elizabeth Glenn
 Vice President.....Carolyn Phelps
 Secretary.....Eloise Pierson
 Treasurer.....Jean Barnett

Independent Men's Club



OFFICERS

President. Larry Landers
 Vice President. . . . William Walton
 Secretary. Dean Lantz
 Treasurer. Allan Bostwick



Row 1: Bostwick, Walton, Landers, Lantz, Ludwigsen. *Row 2:* Freuh, Metzger, Hoogheem, Chatfield, Lindahl, Sward, Koppert, Haney, Craig, Bischoff. *Row 3:* Diekelman, Quanstrom, Allin, Silhanek, Best, Reed, Speer, Huehne, A. Doty.

Alpha Tau Omega

Epsilon Nu Chapter founded in 1947



OFFICERS

President.....Paul Holbrook
Vice President.....Duane Manlove
Secretary.....Bill Krauss
Treasurer.....Irv Sellers



ACTIVES

Sitting: Willson, Beale, Stevenson, DeDera, B. Vigal, Overton. *Kneeling:* Davenport, Hineker, George, Krauss, Hollbrook, Manlove, Sellers, Thompson, Dittmar, McKinley. *Standing:* Benbow, Asplund, Cook, Utter, Carlson, Schwiebert, Thomas, Boehm, Little, Peters, Wertz, Effland, Zalokar.



PLEDGES

Row 1: Riedle, Perrin, Bondurant, Pringle. Row 2: Beabout, D. Vigal, Walker, Metzger, Dean. Row 3: Boehm, Thompson, Benda, Fletcher, Richter, Dymit, Alden, Sulzbach, Fuller, Greene.



Sigma Phi Epsilon

Illinois Gamma founded in 1948



Row 1: Craske, McKellar, Ray, Guelle, Harvey. Row 2: T. Hodge, Graham, Keller, Benedetto, Mrs. Grace Strickler, Pearson, Carbonari, Gaffney. Row 3: Stager, E. Hodge, Coso, Young, Kingdon, Hands, Richmond, Sanford, Smetana, Masterson.



OFFICERS

President.....Don Pearson
 Vice-President.....Todd McKellar
 Secretary.....Tom Hodge
 Comptroller.....Stan Graham



PLEDGES

Row 1: Cozine, S. Hawley, Lyon, Brawdy, Noton, Elliott. Row 2: Stockdell, Sakach, Hill, Mrs. Grace Strickler, Sanford (pledge trainer), Gilles, Flanders, Shirnick. Row 3: Droppa, Ores, Thruber, Smith, Galitz, Carlson, B. Hawley, Tyrell, Jenkins, Webb.

Tau Kappa Epsilon

Alpha Epsilon Chapter founded in 1928



OFFICERS

President.....Chuck Denniston
 Vice-President.....Barry Frakes
 Secretary.....William Whowell
 Treasurer.....Donald Delzell



ACTIVES

Row 1: Earp, McMullen, Whowell, Petersen, Watts, Brasmer, Guthrie. Row 2: Delzell, Noble, Richard, Denniston, Dr. Vellenga, Marxman, Friese, Rohlfis, Vogt. Row 3: Michaelson, Ranney, Brown, Bowman, Mercer, McGehee, Sanders, Kovacs, Phillips, Lafferty, Huff, Allen, Wyatt. Row 4: Riedel, Josephson.



PLEDGES

*Row 1: Schreder, Mitchell, P. Brown, Bollman, Magnussun, Johnson, Mar.
Row 2: Schmidt, Davis, McLaughlin, Kilgore, Pilz.*



Theta Chi

Beta Pi Chapter founded in 1942



ACTIVES

Row 1: Hemwall, Lindsay, Edwards, Muir, Goetz, Lowe, Christensen, Droste, Koontz. Row 2: Nelson, Sanderson, Robeson, Nichol, Mrs. Coulter, Mr. Hayes, Bowker, Henrikson, Wyatt, Verigan. Row 3: Salaway, Johanson, Cummings, Uhle, Andersen, Atchison, Futterer, Stripe, B. Doty, Felger, Maurice, Rasmussen, Best.



OFFICERS

President.....Tom Nichol
 Vice-President.....Eugene Bowker
 Secretary.....Donald Robeson
 Treasurer.....Harold Henrikson



PLEDGES

Row 1: Brown, Berry Levine, Orednick, Woods, Morrill. Row 2: Horanzy, Baumann, Hartmire, Armknecht (pledge marshall), Hartmann, Courtney, Frey. Row 3: Henry, Glassner, Williamson, Fulton, Lindsay, Thomas, Johnson, Engdahl, Ackman, Jones, Lane.

Pan Hellenic Council



Sitting: Schindewolf, Hodges, Henry, Earp. *Standing:* Beabout, Bondurant, Brunner, Wachsmann.

Interfraternity Council



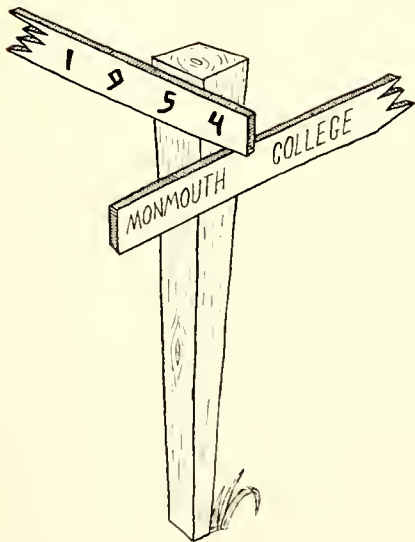
Sitting: Holbrook, McKeller, Dean Phillips, Pearson. *Standing:* Manlove, Bowker, Denniston, Nichol.

The Octopus Club



Row 1: Nelson, Asplund. Row 2: Benedetto, Willson, Zalokar, Pearson, F. Brown, Armknecht.

Founded in 1928 with the purpose of binding together the different social organizations on the campus the Octopus Club is made up of eight of the outstanding men in the senior class. In previous years membership in the organization was kept a secret until the Ravelings revealed their true identities in the Spring. This year however the group was given full recognition as a senior men's honorary society. This year's membership celebrated their official recognition by putting a new coat of paint on the walls of the Student Union. The members of the Octopus Club will be announced as soon as they are elected by the present membership.



SPORTS



Football



Varsity

Row 1: Bollman, Droste, Williams, Turner, Noble, Sanderson, Vogt, Rasmussen. Row 2: Forsyth, Nichol, Frakes, Reed, Allen, Sellers, Sanford, Brown. Row 3: Head Coach Robinson, McGehee, Hands, Utter, Anderson, Tuttle, Lafferty, Willson, Watts, Zalokar, Line Coach Jacquet.

SEASON'S SUMMARY

Monmouth 14 — Augustana 0
 Monmouth 24 — Cornell 0
 Monmouth 27 — Knox 20
 Monmouth 0 — St. Olaf 34
 Monmouth 24 — Grinnell 32
 Monmouth 7 — Cœ 12
 Monmouth 25 — Carlton 7
 Monmouth 36 — Ripon 15



COACHES

"Bobby" Woll, Freshman
 "Jelly" Robinson, Head Football Coach
 "Jake" Jacquet, Line Coach

ALL MIDWEST CONFERENCE

Laird Willson, Tackle
 Gary Allen, Guard
 Barry Frakes, Back

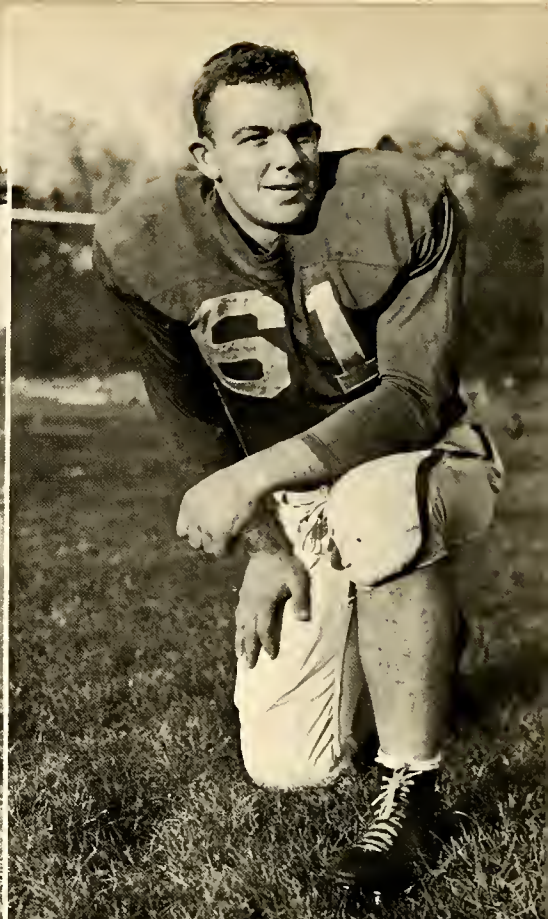




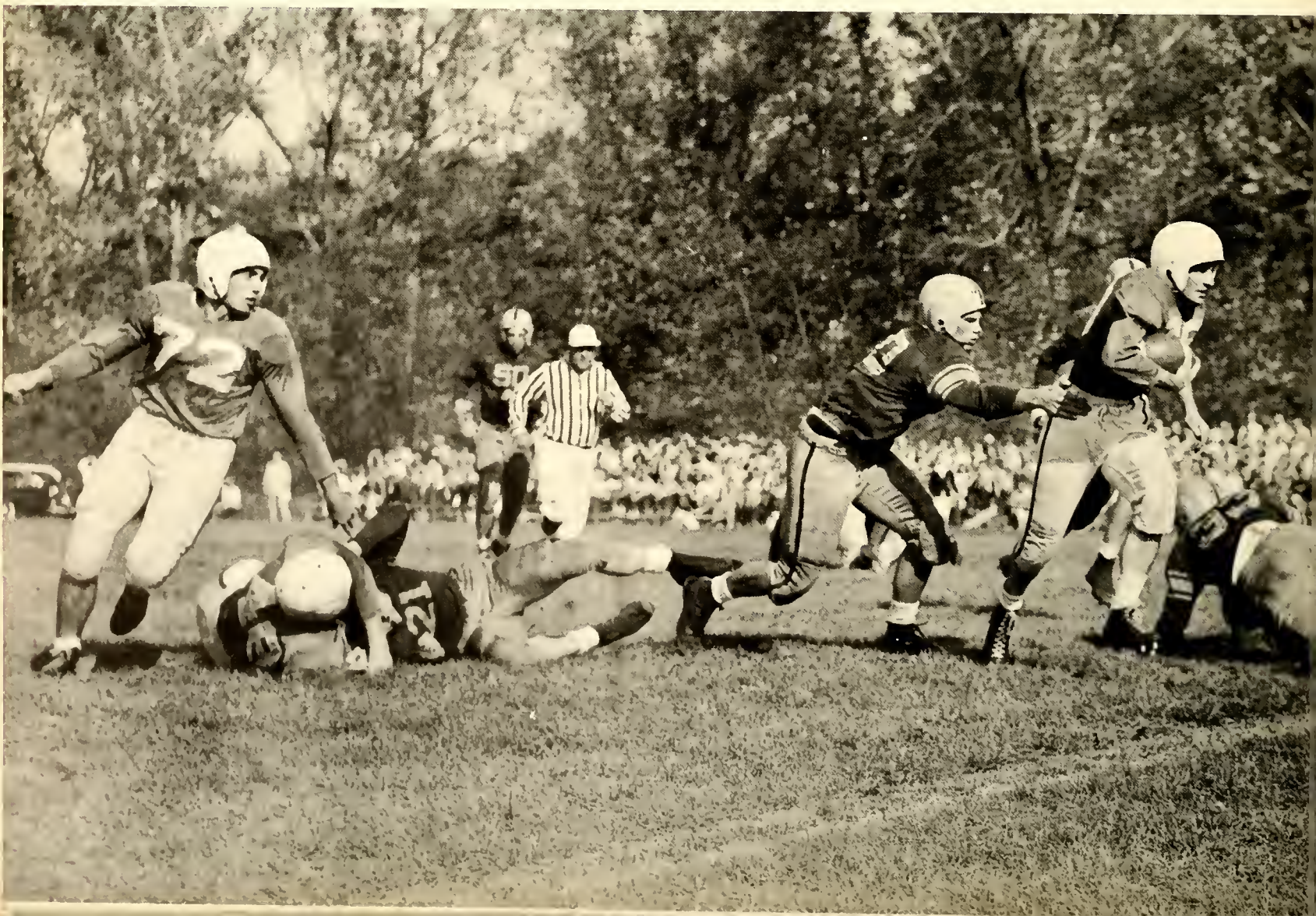
JIM SANDERSON



ART BENEDETTO



LAIRD WILLSON

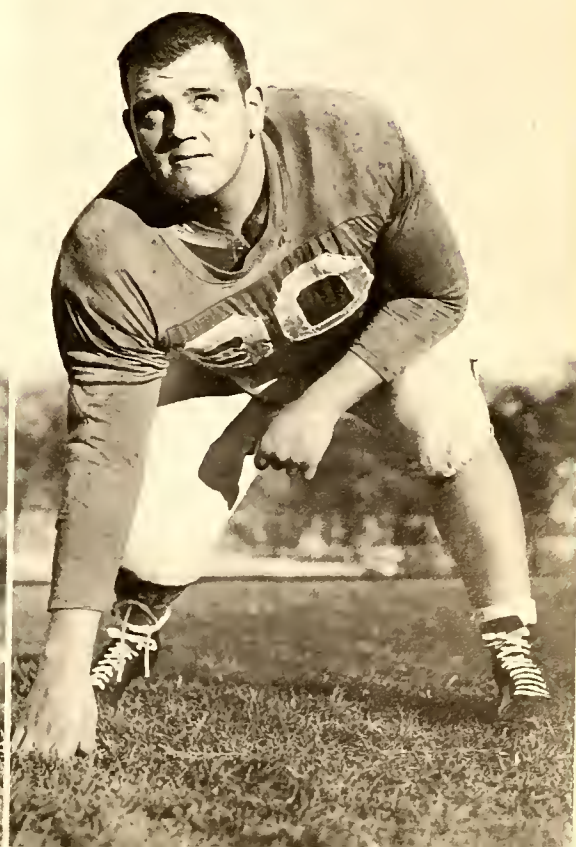




DON UTTER

FREW BROWN

RON ZALOKAR





FRESHMAN

Row 1: Morrill, Schrader, Thierry, Levine, Gilles, Murphy. *Row 2:* Kniss, Skinner, Horanzy, Lindsay, Berry, Dymit, Johnson. *Row 3:* Coach Woll, Magnusen, Pilz, Smith, Droppa, Wehb, Ores, Sandburg.

This year's frosh football team was a spirited and scrappy group of football players. They put in long hours of practice and spent much of their time preparing the varsity for their games by running through the plays of their opponents. The team did get two games of their own with the Knox freshmen winning one and losing one. There is little doubt that this year's frosh will produce some much needed help for next season's varsity.

SCORES

Monmouth 6 — Knox 0

Monmouth 7 — Knox 25

Cross Country



Kneeling: Maurice, Fletcher, Carlson. Standing: T. Johnson, Thompson, Fuller, Baumann.



Ren "Gunder" Carlson

SCORES

Monmouth 17 — Knox 51

Monmouth 24 — Knox 32

Basketball



Varsity

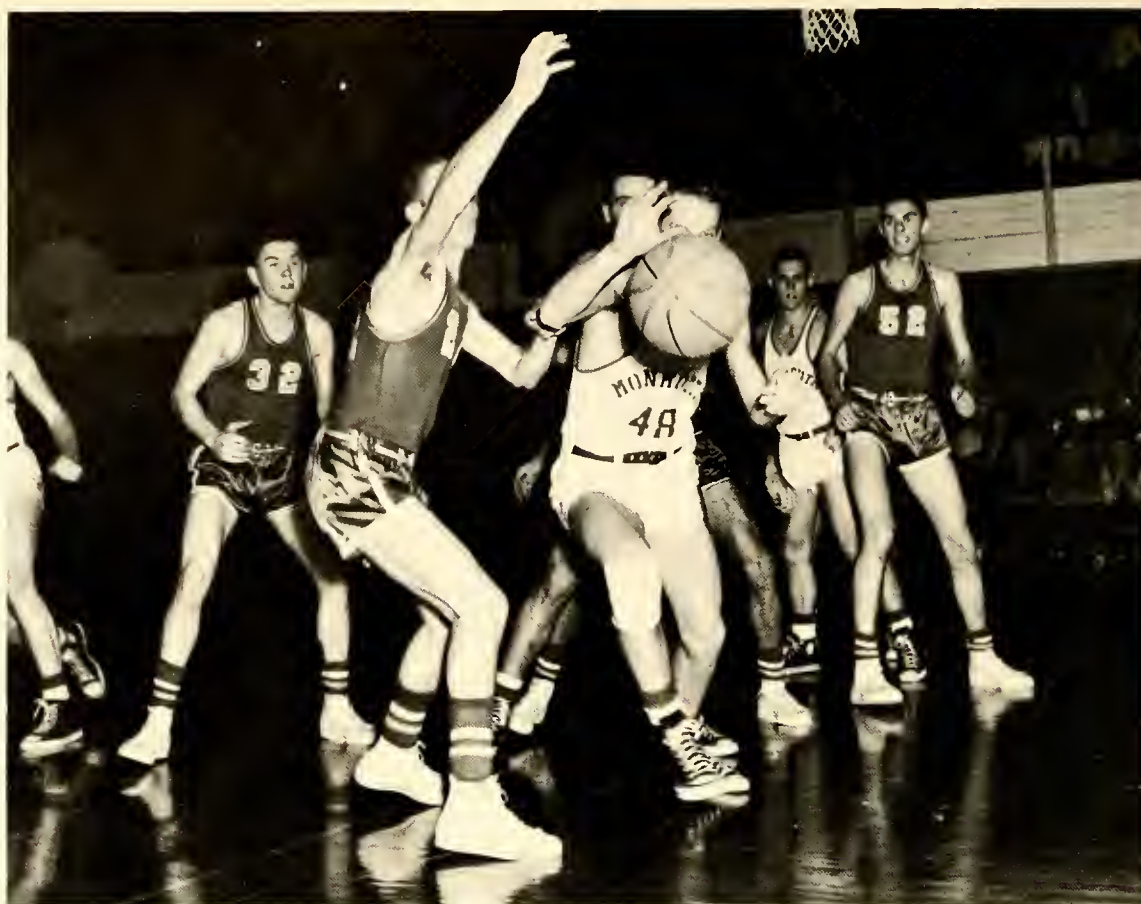
Kneeling: Coach Woll, Rasmussen, Armknecht, Effland, Nelson, Sallaway, Frakes. *Standing:* Asplund, Kovacs, McChes, Thomas, Stripe, Boehm, Cummings, Lowe.

SEASON'S SUMMARY

Monmouth 76 — Augustana 68
 Monmouth 82 — Carthage 70
 Monmouth 64 — St. Olaf 70
 Monmouth 76 — Carleton 82
 Monmouth 89 — Lawrence 78
 Monmouth 75 — Ripon 54
 Monmouth 79 — Eureka 50
 Monmouth 74 — Carthage 68
 Monmouth 80 — Knox 66

Monmouth 56 — Ripon 57
 Monmouth 86 — Coe 73
 Monmouth 90 — Cornell 80
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 Monmouth 73 — Augustana 88
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 Monmouth 77 — Knox 70





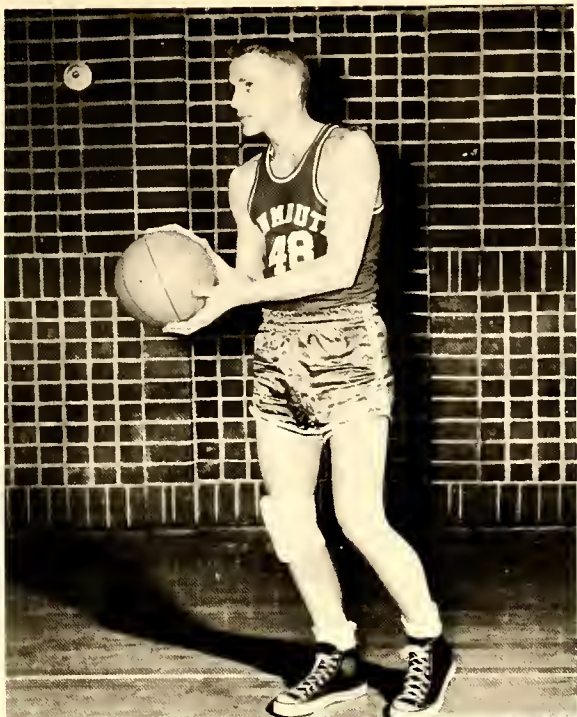
Ron Boehm



Phil Armknecht



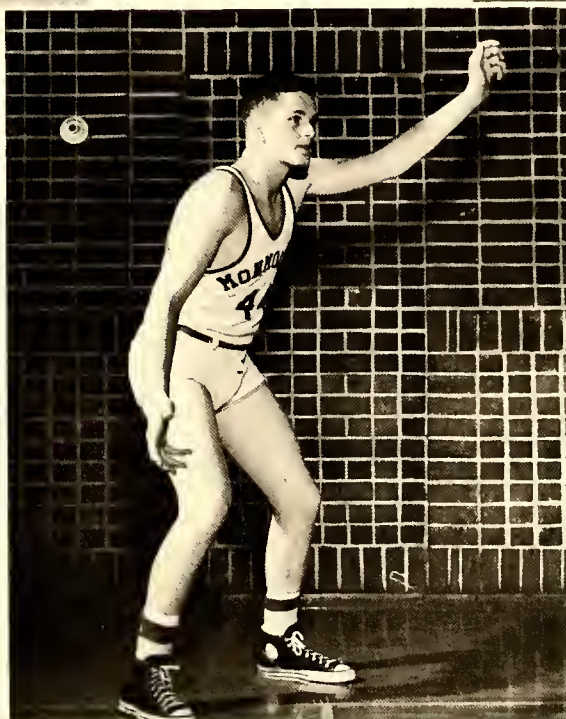
Pete Nelson



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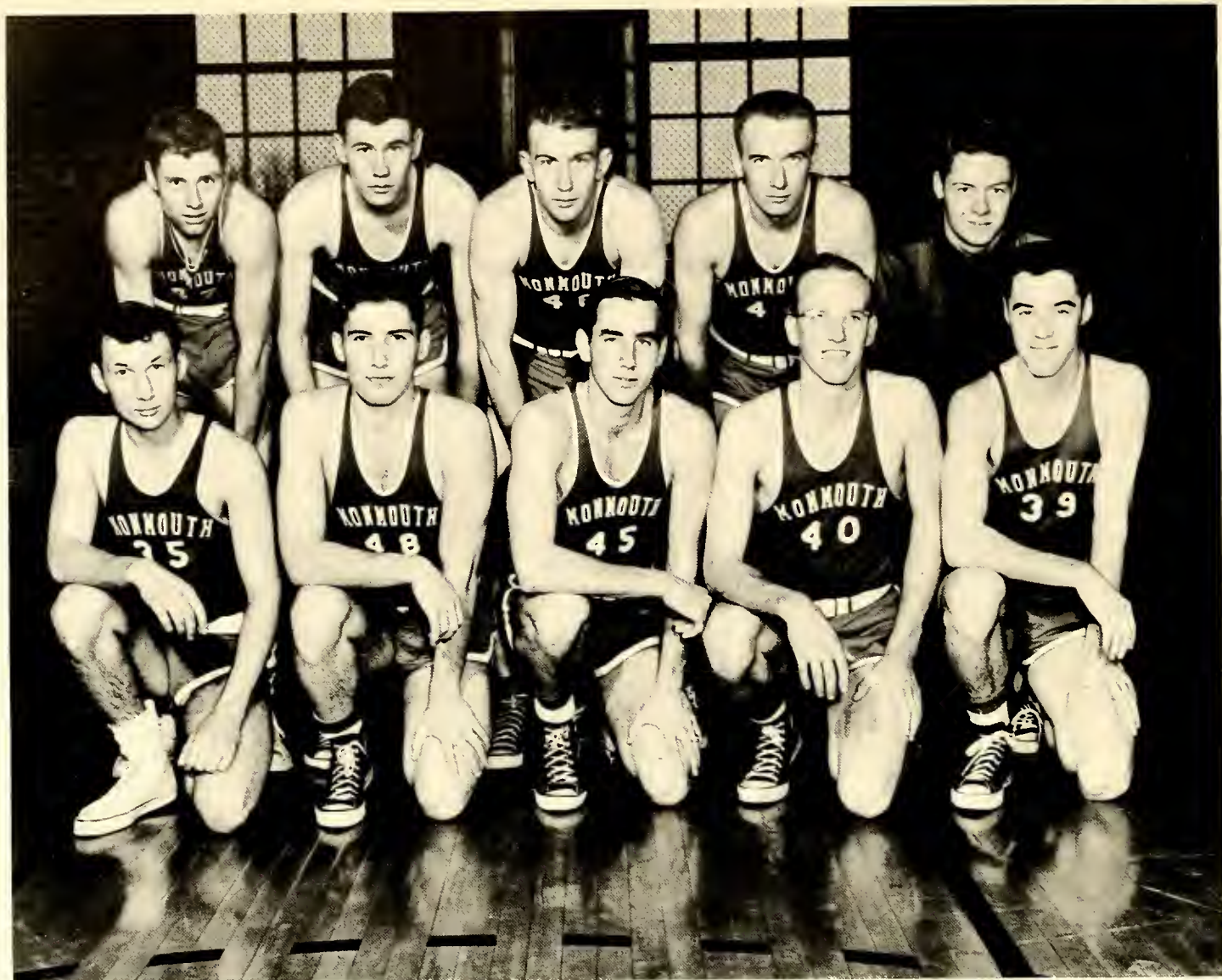
Al McGhee



Pete Kovacs



Jim Asplund



FRESHMAN

Row 1: Horanzy, Ackman, Hartmire, Fulton, Alden. Row 2: Singleton, Thomas, Kilgore, J. Johnson, Lowe.

This year's frosh basketball team showed a great deal of potential and constant improvement throughout the season. Under the able guidance of Coach Ed Saville the team managed to do rather well in its abbreviated schedule. This year's team had a good deal of height and with the valuable experience they received this season they will be in the thick of the battle for berths on next year's varsity quintet.

Swimming



Varsity

Sitting: George, Hemwall, Droste, Little. Standing: Davenport, J. Wyatt, Coach Harris.



Co-Captains

Bruce Davenport and Bill George



Freshman

Row 1: Sulzbach, Benda, Walker. Row 2: Coach Harris, Lane, Richter, Baumann.

Baseball



Varsity

Kneeling: Hodge, Nelson, Allen, Cook, Sellers, McNally. *Standing:* Coach Jacquet, Fenton, Ameen, Geiger, Sanders, Benedetto, Girard, McBride.

1953 RESULTS

Monmouth 8 — Illinois Tech 7
 Monmouth 1 — Western 8
 Monmouth 2 — Augustana 6
 Monmouth 3 — Coe 2
 Monmouth 5 — Knox 2
 Monmouth 5 — Coe 9
 Monmouth 5 — St. Olaf 1

Monmouth 1 — Carlton 4
 Monmouth 5 — Washington University 4
 Monmouth 7 — Washington University 6
 Monmouth 9 — Knox 5
 Monmouth 5 — Carlton 9
 Monmouth 0 — St. Olaf 2
 Monmouth 2 — Augustana 5



FRESHMEN

Row 1: Bollman, Edwards, Brasmer, Muir, Sanford, Kingdon.
 Row 2: Mell, Phillips, Johanson, Schmidt, Connelly, Hair.

Track



Varsity

Row 1: Brooks, Droste, Vogt. Row 2: Maurice, Richard, D. Guelle, Howell, R. Guelle, Carlson, Sallaway, Nichol. Row 3: Coach Robinson, Lafferty, F. Brown, Pearson, Cooper, Bostwick, Frakes.

1953 RESULTS

Monmouth 71 $\frac{1}{2}$ — Knox 60
 — Augustana 31 $\frac{1}{2}$
 Monmouth 87 $\frac{1}{2}$ — Augustana 43 $\frac{1}{2}$
 Monmouth 101 $\frac{1}{2}$ — Carthage 46
 — St. Ambrose 14 $\frac{1}{2}$
 Monmouth 55 — Western 76
 Monmouth 67 $\frac{1}{4}$ — Knox 63 $\frac{3}{4}$
 Monmouth 46 — Bradley 85



FRESHMEN

Row 1: DeDera, Beall.

Row 2: Williams, Futterer, Rasmussen.

Row 3: Forsyth, Gibb.

Golf



Row 1: R. Stevenson, Kerins. Row 2: Bowker, Trask, Armknecht.

1953 RESULTS

Monmouth 0 — Knox 15
Monmouth $4\frac{1}{2}$ — St. Ambrose $10\frac{1}{2}$
Monmouth $\frac{1}{2}$ — Augustana $14\frac{1}{2}$
Monmouth 7 — Coe 8
Monmouth 3 — Cornell 12
Monmouth $\frac{1}{2}$ — Knox $20\frac{1}{2}$

Tennis



Kneeling: Kirk, Fenton. Standing: Silhanek, Hsu, Huey.

1953 RESULTS

Monmouth 1 — Augustana 4
Monmouth 2 — Knox 5
Monmouth 0 — Carthage 7
Monmouth 0 — Carthage 7
Monmouth 0 — Knox 6

Rifle Club



Sitting: Brown, Irej, Webeck, Hadden, Russell. *Standing:* J. Wyati, Quinby, Hartrick, George, Orednick, Bunting, Phifer, Futterer.



JOAN PHIFER

Co-Captain of the Women's Rifle Team, 1953-54. Winner, Seventh Place, National Intercollegiate Individual Women's Rifle Match—1953. "High Woman" award, National Intercollegiate Outdoor Match—1953.

The Rifle Club, under the sponsorship of Dr. Thiessen, is an organization for all students interested in target shooting. It is open not only to rifle class members, but other students as well. The men's and women's rifle teams both shoot many intercollegiate matches throughout the year.

Dolphins and Pollywogs



DOLPHINS

Row 1: Hendren, D. Wilcox, Dolbow, Wright. Row 2: Young, Goss, George, Miss McVey, Castle, Basinger.



POLLYWOGS

Row 1: Kimble, Lashley, Ralston, Mundt, Ahlgrim, Hemwall, Poirot. Row 2: Hadden, Batten, K. Smith, Smale, Mueller, Huff, Reginetter, Virco, Boyd.

Pep Club



MEMBERS

Row 1: Crank, Buhler, Bayliss, Thompson, Ramsdale, R. Steiner. *Row 2:* Utter, Hendren, Edwards, Fasick, Earp, Beabout, Camensich, Mears. *Row 3:* Wright, Quinby, Wachsmann, Nicoll, Mueller, Schneck, Davidson, Thon, George, Knoepp-Baker.

The Pep Club is made up of 25 peppy and highly spirited girls which are tapped each fall. The purpose of this organization is to promote a stronger feeling of school spirit among the members of the student body. The red and white sweater with the Monmouth seal on the front symbolizes membership in this organization. These girls are the ones who cheer loudest at the games and organize the pep rallies.

M Club

The M Club is made up of the athletic letter winners of Monmouth College. Among the many activities sponsored by the club each year are the selling of refreshments at the football and basketball games, publishing and selling athletic programs, and issuing the M Club Scholarship to an outstanding freshman athlete. The purpose of this organization is to promote a greater interest in sports of all phases. This past year has been a highly successful one for the club which this year was under the leadership of Laird Willson.



Row 1: George, J. Wyatt, Sanderson, Allen, Frakes, Nichol, Hodge, Armknecht, Hands. Row 2: Vogt, Zalokar, Reed, Effland, Cook, Sellers, Benedetto, Williams, Droste, Watts, Sanford. Row 3: Maurice, Carlson, Boehm, McGhee, Kovacs, Asplund, Thomas, Pearson, Brown, Willson.



Row 1: Cole, Davidson, Koepp-Baker, R. Steiner, Ransdale, Basinger. Row 2: Bunting, Hofbauer, Bayliss, Venn, Ijams, Wright, Mueller. Row 3: M. Ward, Castle, Henry, Two, Fasick, Jones, Earp, Lashly, Dietrich. Row 4: Verploeg, Roach, Balch, Goss, Lake, George, Campbell, Van Zelst, Hadden, Enke. Row 5: Irvine, Ohlinger, Hendren, Schindewolf, Windish, Frederick, Nichol, Riley, Pringle, Lambers. Missing: Barb Crank.

Sitting: Myers, Cook, Fasick, Jones. Standing: Wydule, M. Johnson, Castle, Schwartz, Ohlinger.



WAA

WAA is the organization on campus that spurs most sorority and independent girls to become sports-minded. They sponsor all intramural competition among girls here on campus. The sports offered throughout the year are tennis, volleyball, badminton, bowling, softball, basketball, and swimming. Initiation requires the minimum practice hours in two sports for a year. In charge of WAA are their annual freshman breakfast and play days.

P. E. Majors Club

Monmouth's P. E. Majors' Club is a branch chapter of a national organization. Under the sponsorship of Miss Widule, the club strives to learn new and better methods of physical techniques and instruction plus news in the sports world. They help to plan play days both here and at other colleges.

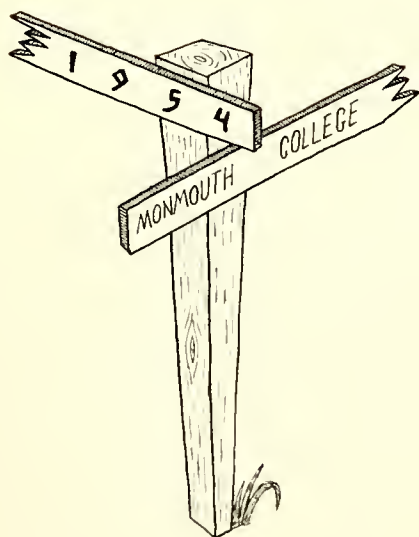
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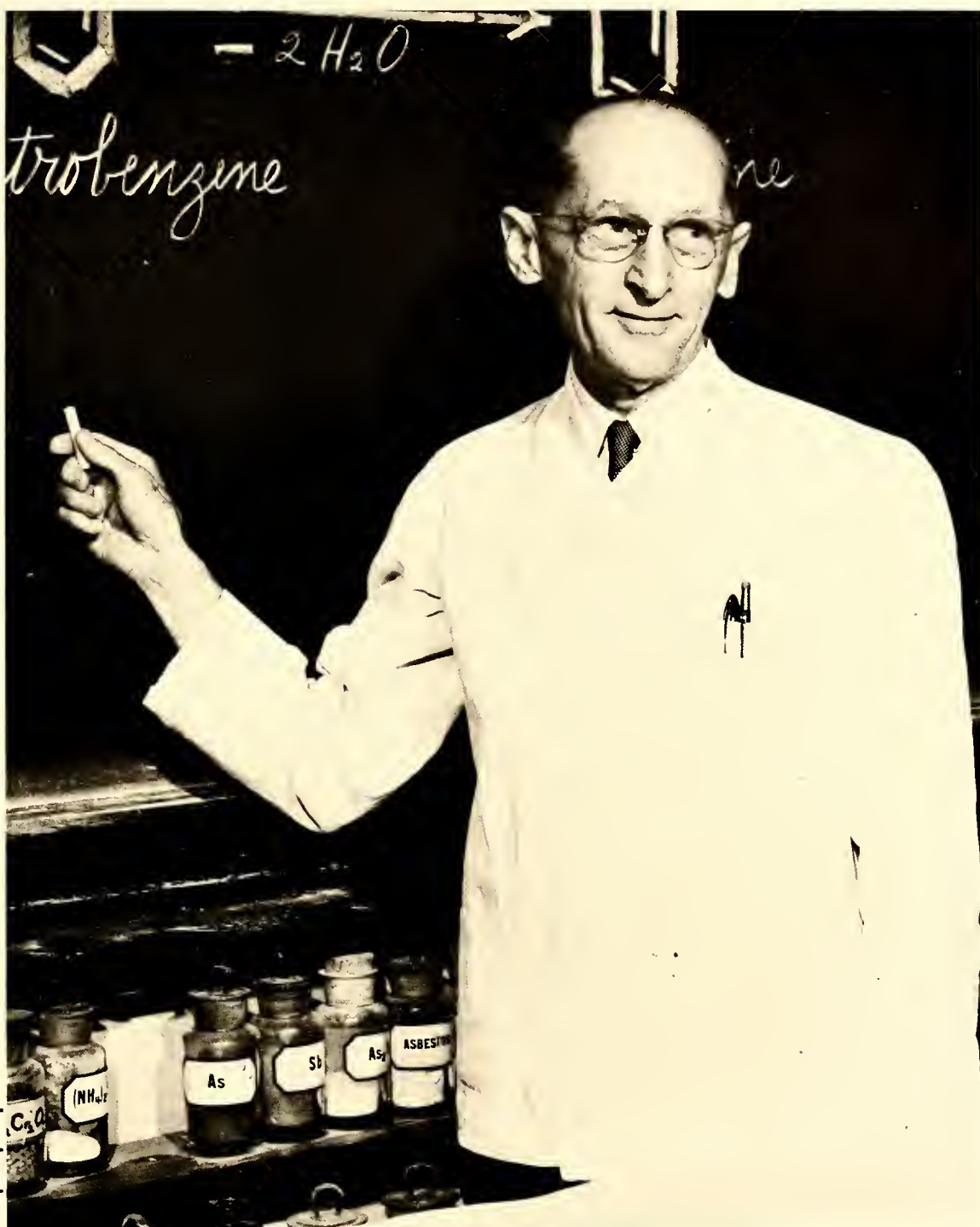
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Schneck, Mueller, Nicoll.

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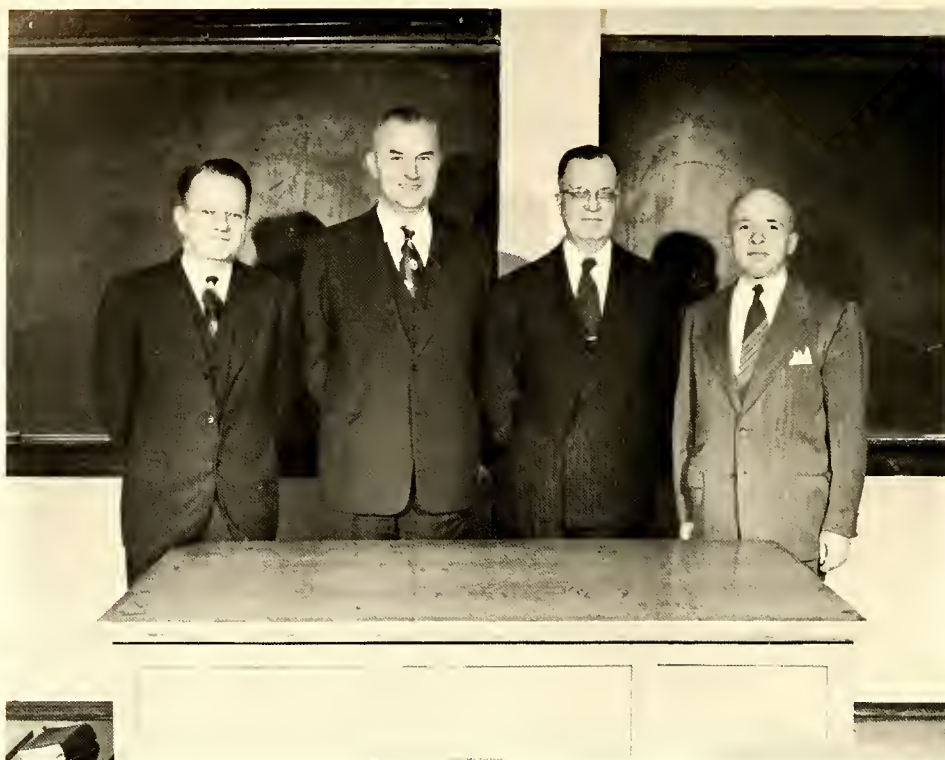
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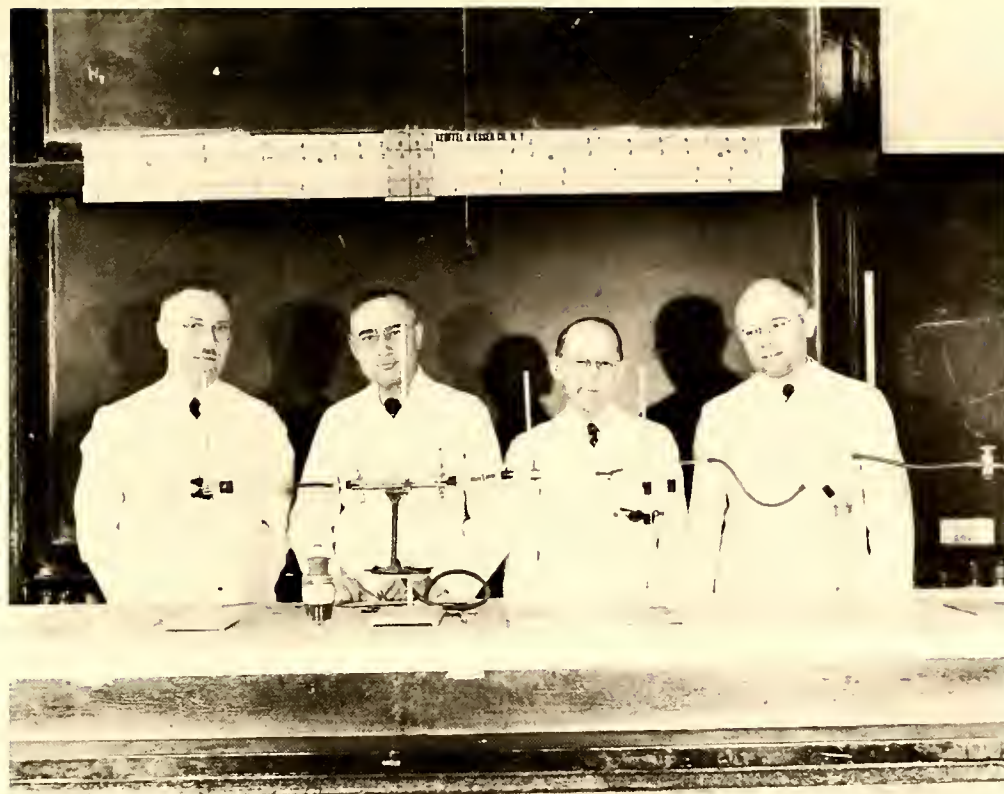
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		To meet policy obligations as they become due by death, maturity or disability	
U. S. Government, State, County, Municipal and Other Bonds	55,158,676.33	Additional Policyowners' Funds	3,658,646.64
		Amounts set aside for, or already apportioned to policies in addition to the reserve	
(U. S. Government Bonds \$32,743,150.11; State, County, and Municipal Bonds \$272,208.44; Public Utility Bonds \$7,233,452.18; Railroad Bonds \$12,355,728.11; Industrial and Miscellaneous Bonds \$2,554,137.49)		Death Claims Due and Unpaid	None
Mortgages & Contracts on Real Estate	22,369,622.88	Premiums and Interest	559,395.35
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Loans to Policyowners	6,404,457.05	Trust Fund	1,024,734.00
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Premiums in Course of Collection	1,286,247.38	For claims not yet completed or reported	\$ 419,927.50
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Stocks	1,343,119.30	Escrow Deposits of	
(Preferred and Guaranteed \$996,676.00; Common \$346,443.30)		Mortgages	478,146.36
Real Estate Held for Investment	2,716,000.35	For all other liabilities	2,552,657.18
Interest Due and Accrued and other assets	630,769.52	Total Special Reserves	3,883,839.96
		Total Liabilities	80,823,874.87
Total	\$91,291,735.04	Capital Stock	\$1,000,000.00
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